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Via EFC & Regular Mail

The Honorable Michael A. Shipp
United States District Court - District of New Jersey
Martin Luther King Jr. Federal Building
and United States Courthouse
50 Walnut Street
Newark, NJ 07102

Re: Volpe *et al.* v. Alliance Hand and
Physical Therapy, Inc.
Case Number 2:08-cv-5481

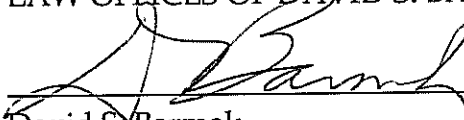
Dear Judge Shipp:

This firm represents the Plaintiffs as captioned. We recently received any inquiry from your office staff regarding the status of the above matter. This is to advise you that counsel has met and discussed the continuation and extension of the settlement agreement which was signed by all parties on May 8, 2009. We have agreed to extend its terms to December 15, 2009. The Defendant, in the CEPA case, has deposited the agreed upon settlement amount which I currently hold in my trust account. The only remaining item is the cooperation of the U.S. Attorney's Office to resolve the issues in

the Qui Tam case. I have been in touch with Alex Kriegsman, Esq. and we are currently attempting to have that part of the case resolved amicably.

There is a status conference currently scheduled for September 17, 2009. In view of the foregoing, all parties join me in requesting that the conference be adjourned to allow negotiations to continue so that these matters can be resolved without Court intervention.

Very truly yours,
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